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LONG TIME JUSTICE OF THE PEACE BILL RUMMER REMEMBERED

YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA – Justice of the Peace Bill Rummer sadly passed away on Friday, October 28, 2022, after serving almost 12 years as the Presiding Judge in the Mayer Justice Court.

Judge Rummer was a United States Navy veteran. He graduated with a degree in Business Finance from Arizona State University and spent his early career in banking, manufacturing, wholesaling and real estate investing. He began his legal career as a volunteer mediator in the Prescott Justice Court and eventually became a Civil Traffic Hearing Officer for the Prescott and Mayer Justice Courts.

Judge Rummer assumed the bench in January 2011 after winning the six-way race for Mayer Justice of the Peace in the 2010 election. He was instrumental in developing the Yavapai County Limited Jurisdiction Veterans Court and has volunteered as a judge at the annual Yavapai County Veteran Stand Down every year since 2018.

Judge Rummer was well respected by his community, his colleagues, and his friends. His daughter Suzi Rummer wanted to thank the community and stated, "I appreciate everybody's love and support. When my dad was in office, he truly loved the community that he served." Judge Rummer requested no services be held and the family respectfully requests privacy at this time.

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